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For: **INTEGRATION OF PRE-S/D ANNEAL SELECTIVE NITRIDE/OXIDE COMPOSITE CAP FOR IMPROVING TRANSISTOR PERFORMANCE**



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Dear Sir:

With respect to the Restriction Requirement mailed on 05/26/2004, the Examiner has restricted the instant application to the invention of Group A (Claims 1-19), or Group B (Claims 20-24). In light of this, Applicants elect to pursue Group B with Claims 20-24 readable thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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